Dazzle* Video Creator Platinum

Turn your life into movies
Enjoy them on DVD
Share them anywhere!

Product Overview

Dazzle Video Creator Platinum is a plug-and-play USB 1.1 or 2.0 device that allows you to record your videos from a camcorder, a VCR, or any video equipment with analogue outputs. Dazzle Video Creator Platinum uses a hardware encoding chip for real-time video encoding into high-quality MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4 and DivX formats without taxing your computer's CPU resources.

It comes with both Instant DVD Recorder software that allows you to transfer videos straight from tapes to DVDs, complete with menus, and Pinnacle Studio QuickStart software to easily create fully polished movies with titles, transitions, music and more, before burning to CDs and DVDs. You can effortlessly export your masterpieces for sharing on DVDs, Apple iPod, Sony PSP and other similar portable devices.

	Dazzle DVD Recorder	Dazzle Video Creator	Dazzle Video Creator Platinum
PC connection	USB 2.0	USB 1.1 or USB 2.0	USB 1.1 or USB 2.0
Hardware recording for high-quality results*		X	X
Transfer videos straight from tape to DVD with Instant DVD Recorder	X	X	X
Edit your movies with Studio QuickStart		X	X
Create videos for Apple iPod, Sony PSP			X
Create MPEG-4 and DivX videos			X
* Important for lower spec PCs.			

Positioning

Hardware-powered video encoding to MPEG-1,MPEG -2, MPEG-4 and DivX media, combined with friendly and accessible software, make Dazzle Video Creator Platinum the most versatile and easy-to-use solution for getting your favourite enhanced videos onto DVDs and portable devices for viewing and sharing.

Target Market

Archivers and Memory Keepers who want to capture their home movies and TV recordings to DVD in the highest quality possible, but desire a flexible, no-hassle process.

Video editing beginners who want to go beyond basic archiving by trimming their movies, and enhancing them with transitions, music and titles before burning onto DVDs.

Mobile video device owners who want to carry their media assets anywhere.

Key Features

Preserve, enhance, and share your home videos and TV recordings on DVDs and more

- **Quick to Connect** - Just connect your camcorder and plug into your PC's USB 1.1 or Hi-Speed USB 2.0 port…you're ready to go!
- **Simple to Use** - Capture from virtually any video source, with full-resolution DVD quality.
- **Easy to Archive -** Record your videos directly to DVD without copying to your hard drive, saving both time and space with Pinnacle Instant DVD Recorder software.
- **Effortless to Edit -** Trim your videos, add effects, stills, titles, and background music, even create movies automatically, and then save them to DVD, iPod, PSP, or DivX with Pinnacle Studio QuickStart.
- **Fun to Share -** Send your movies to portable video players, such as Apple Video iPod, Sony PSP, and video phones.
- **Powerful to Run -** On-board MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4, and DivX recording hardware creates high-quality videos without tying up your PC.

Product Descriptions

25 Word Descriptions

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Dazzle Video Creator Platinum provides a simple and fast way to record home videos and TV recordings of the highest quality, thanks to MPEG-1, MPEG-2 and MPEG-4/DivX hardware encoding. Transfer them straight from tape to DVD or use Studio QuickStart to trim and transform them into polished movies before archiving to DVD or sending them to mobile devices, such as Apple iPod or Sony PSP.

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Dazzle Video Creator Platinum is a USB 1.1 and USB 2.0-compatible video capture device that allows you to record home videos and TV recordings of the highest quality, thanks to MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4 and DivX hardware encoding. Using included easy-to-use software, you can save your videos directly onto DVDs with menus or polish them up with simple editing tools. Pinnacle Instant DVD Recorder software allows you to quickly record your videos straight from tape to DVD without first copying them to your hard drive, saving both time and space. Studio QuickStart lets you restore and trim your videos, and add transitions, effects or background music before archiving to DVD or sending them to mobile devices, such as Apple iPod or Sony PSP.

Package Contents

- Dazzle DVC 170 USB video capture device with MPEG-1, MPEG-2, and MPEG-4 compression hardware
- Pinnacle Instant DVD Recorder software
- Pinnacle Studio QuickStart software
- Quick Installation and Getting Started guides

Box Dimensions

- Packaging Size: (W x H X D): 270 x 202 x 55mm
- Unit Weight: 0.45 kg

Reference

Product Name	PPN	UPC Code
DAZZLE Video Creator Platinum DVC170 DGBNL	230100036	613570218425
DAZZLE Video Creator Platinum DVC170 FIE	230100080	613570219187
DAZZLE Video Creator Platinum DVC170 INT	230100046	613570218661

Technical Specifications

Minimum System Requirements

- Windows® XP (SP1 or higher)
- Intel® Pentium® or AMD® Athlon® 1.4 GHz or higher (2.4 GHz or higher recommended)
- 512 MB RAM (1 GB recommended)
- DirectX® 9 or higher compatible graphics card with 64 MB (ATI® Radeon® or NVIDIA® GeForce™ 3 or higher, with 128 MB recommended)
- DirectX 9 or higher compatible sound card (Creative® Audigy® or M-Audio® recommended)
- 1 GB of disk space to install software and +3 GB to install bonus content
- 1 USB 2.0 (Hi-Speed) or USB 1.1 port
- DVD burner for creating DVDs

Hardware Specifications

- Video inputs: Composite video (RCA), S-Video (mini-DIN)
- Audio inputs: Stereo audio (RCA x2)
- On-board MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4, and DivX® compression hardware
- PC connection: Hi-Speed USB 2.0 or USB 1.1

Software Specifications

- Capture from any video source with composite (RCA) or S-Video output.

Capture Formats:

- Hardware compressed MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4 (iPod and PSP compatible), and DivX

Import Formats (Studio QuickStart):

- Video: DV, AVI, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, DivX, MPEG-4 (AVI), Windows Media® Format
- Audio: WAV
- Graphics: BMP, JPG, PCT, TGA, TIF, Windows Media Format

Export Formats (Studio QuickStart):

- Video CD (VCD) or S-VCD with optional CD burner (CD_R or CD-RW)
- DVD with optional DVD burner (DVD-R, DVD-RW, DVD+R, or DVD+RW)
- iPod and PSP compatible MPEG-4
- DV, AVI, DivX, RealVideo® 8, Windows Media 9, MPEG-1, MPEG-2, MPEG-4 files

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